



RCE  
IPW

## In the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Applicants: Richard W. Kubalek; Susan J. Moder; Thomas H. Roessler      Docket No.: 15454.1

Serial No.: 09/923,032      Group: 3761

Filed: August 6, 2001      Examiner: Kidwell, Michele M.

For: FEMININE SANITARY PROTECTION DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MAKING THE SAME

Date: October 18, 2005

### Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal under 37 CFR § 1.114

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request continued examination of the above-identified application in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- I. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on September 13, 2005.
- II. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- III. ☐ Other
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- I. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- II. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)      10/25/2005 NNGUYEN1 00000136 110875 09923032
- III. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)      01 FC:1801      790.00 DA
- IV. ☐ Other

Please charge the continuing examination fee of \$790.00 (fee code 1801) set forth in § 1.17(e) to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875.

In the event the fee indicated above is incorrect, please charge any additional fee or credit any excess in the fee to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875.

Please address all correspondence to: Ralph H. Dean, Jr., Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc., 401 North Lake Street, Neenah, Wisconsin 54957-0349.

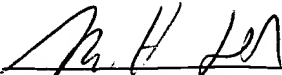
K-C Docket No.: 15454.1  
Serial No.: 09/923,032

This request is submitted in duplicate.

The undersigned may be reached at telephone number 920-721-3892 or fax number (920) 721-0279.

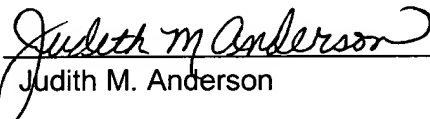
Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD W. KUBALEK ET AL.

By:   
Ralph H. Dean, Jr.  
Registration No.: 41,550

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Judith M. Anderson, hereby certify that on October 18, 2005 this document is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

By:   
Judith M. Anderson